5th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Charles Patmore Phillips resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Lieutenant Thomas Toyne resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Lieutenant James Sharpe resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Lieutenant James William Hawes resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Lieutenant Charles Phillips Douglas resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

9th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant Edward V. New resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Reginald George Fletcher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

5th Fifeshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

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9th Hertfordshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Henry Gisby, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

28th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Philip James, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

73rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Leiper, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

1st Administrative Brigade Middlesex Artillery Volunteers.

Richard Augustine Fitzgerald Studdert, Esq., from Captain and Adjutant, 1st London Artillery Volunteer Corps, to be Adjutant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Adjutant R. A. F. Studdert to serve withthe rank of Captain, under the provisions of Article 196, Regulations for the Volunteer Force, dated 18th September, 1863.

1st Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Captain Robert Keirle resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Captain Robert Dixon resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Captain Robert S. Begbie resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

3rd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lieutenant G. C. Reaney resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

9th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Honorary Colonel Alfred Plantagenet Frederick Charles Somerset resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

23rd Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Alexander Mortimer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

1st Nairn Artillery Volunteer Corps.
William Alexander Fraser, Esq., to be Captain.
Dated 6th September, 1873.

1st Newcastle-on-Tyne Engineer Volunteer Corps.
Charles Palmer, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 6th
September, 1873.

9th Perthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

David Mitchell Robertson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Thomas Elliott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Dated 6th September, 1873.

1st Roxburghshire Mounted Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Patrick Kynoch, Gent., to be Acting Assistant
Surgeon. Dated 6th September, 1873.

9th Somersetshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Captain John Halliday resigns his Commission. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Daniel Badcock, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 6th September, 1873.

3rd Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry William James Moxon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873.

3rd Wigtonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.
William Agnew, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.
Dated 6th September, 1873.

5th Wiltshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.
Charles Edward Hungerford Athole Colston, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 6th September, 1873.

REGULATIONS FOR THE REGISTRATION OF POST LETTERS.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament, made and passed in the session of Parliament holden in the third and fourth years of the reign of Her Majesty, chapter ninety-six, for the regulation of the duties of postage, it was enacted, by section thirty-nine (after reciting that it might be expedient that certain post letters should be registered), that in case the Postmaster-General should at any time deem it expedient that all or any post letters should be registered by the Post Office, the Postmaster-General might, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, forward letters so registered without charging any additional rate for the registration thereof, or he might charge for any letters so registered such rate of postage, in addition to any other rates payable under the Post Office Acts, as the Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, should from time to time direct (but such registration should not render the Postmaster-General or the Post Office Revenue in any manner liable for the loss of any such post letters, or the contents thereof). and that all registered letters should be delivered to the Post Office, and also be delivered by the Post Office, at or between such hours in the day. and under all such regulations in every respect, as the Postmaster-General should from time to time appoint; and that the Postmaster-General might therein require such registration rate to be paid on the letter being put into the Post Office. And by section sixty, it was further enacted, that in all cases in which the postage of any unstamped letter should not have been paid by the sender, it should be paid by the person to whom the letter is addressed, on the delivery thereof to him; but that if the letter should be refused, or the party to whom it is addressed should be dead, or could not be found, the writer or sender should pay the postage; and that the now reciting enactment should apply to every packet, newspaper, and thing whatsoever chargeable with postage, which should be transmitted by the post. And by section sixty-three, it was also enacted, that all post letters should be posted, forwarded, conveyed, and delivered under and subject to all such orders, directions, and regulations, and under and subject to all such conditions, limitations, and restrictions as to the form, size, dimensions, enclosures, or otherwise, as the Postmaster-General, with the consent of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's

Treasury, should from time to time direct.